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In re patent application of:

Applicant: Shutic et al.

Serial No: 09/888,679

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Title: POWDER COATING SYSTEM
WITH IMPROVED OVERSPRAY
COLLECTION

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT AND REMARKS AFTER FINAL

Dear Sir:

This document is responsive to the Final Office Action dated January 9, 2007. It is believed that no additional fees are associated with the filing and consideration of this response, however, **should the Commissioner decide that any fee or fee deficiency is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any and all fees incurred as a result of entering this amendment and response to deposit account number 03-0172.**